

Sunday, May 8th, 2022 (10am) 4th Sunday of Easter, Mother's Day In-Person & Online English Morning Prayer Service

2022 Theme: Rekindle us to serve the changing world

This Sunday Roster

Preacher: Tracy Yip Worship Leader: Fenella Chiu Reader: Terence Kim (Ephesians 3: 14-21) Intercessor: Carol Tam AV Team: Tommy Kung, Paul Seto

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Introduction before starting service – Fenella Chiu

We invite parishioners joining the live online service to join in on responses as you would in regular worship, but please note that all will be muted except for those scheduled to serve in the worship. This service will be recorded and subsequently posted to our website.

Opening Sentence (P.339) – Fenella Chiu

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord: I know my own and my own know me.

John 10:14

The Peace (P.192) – Fenella Chiu

Celebrant:	The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People:	And also with you.

< Please greet each other in the name of Christ>

Grace (P.185) – Fenella Chiu

Celebrant: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

People: And also with you.

Confession (P.45) – Fenella Chiu

Leader: Dear friends in Christ, as we prepare to worship almighty God, let us with penitent and obedient hearts confess our sins, that we may obtain forgiveness by his infinite goodness and mercy.

All: Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your name. Amen.

Absolution (P.46) – Fenella Chiu

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy upon us, pardon and deliver us from all our sins, confirm and strengthen us in all goodness, and keep us in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.
People: Amen.

Reading from Ephesians 3:14-21 – Terence Kim

Reader: Prayer for the Readers

¹⁴ For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, ¹⁵ from whom every family in heaven and on earth takes its name. ¹⁶ I pray that, according to the riches of his glory, he may grant that you may be strengthened in your inner being with power through his Spirit, ¹⁷ and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. ¹⁸ I pray that you may have the power to comprehend, with all the saints, what is the breadth and length and height and depth, ¹⁹ and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

²⁰ Now to him who by the power at work within us is able to accomplish abundantly far more than all we can ask or imagine,
²¹ to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus to all generations, for ever and ever. Amen.

Reader:The word of the Lord.People:Thanks be to God.

Gospel Hymn – Shepherd Of My Soul

Shepherd of my soul I give you full control, Wherever You may lead I will follow. I have made the choice to listen for Your voice, Wherever You may lead I will go.

(Refrain)

Shepherd of my soul I give you full control, Wherever You may lead I will follow. I have made the choice to listen for Your voice, Wherever You may lead I will go.

Be it in a quiet pasture or by a gentle stream, The Shepherd of my soul is by my side. Should I face a mighty mountain or a valley dark and deep, The Shepherd of my soul will be my guide. (Refrain)

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Gospel John 10:22–30 – Fenella Chiu

- Reader: The Lord be with you.
- People: And also with you.

Reader: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Reader: Jesus Is Rejected by the Jews

²² At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, ²³ and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. ²⁴ So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, 'How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.' ²⁵ Jesus answered, 'I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; ²⁶ but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. ²⁷ My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. ²⁸ I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. ²⁹ What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. ³⁰ The Father and I are one.' Reader:The Gospel of Christ.People:Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Sermon "To whom do we belong?" - Tracy Yip

The Apostles' Creed (P.52) – Fenella Chiu

Leader: Let us confess our faith, as we say, All: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People (P.122 Litany 15 Easter) – Carol Tam

Parish Cycle of Prayer

Parish: Rev. Maria, 30th Anniversary Planning

- Deanery: Trinity, Streetsville; Rev'd Robert Hurkmans
- Diocesan: Durham & Northumberland Deanery
- Anglican: Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda (The Anglican Church of Rwanda)
- Infirm: Esther Chen, Susan Xu's mother Dian-Lan Feng, Mrs. Tsang Fung Kwok Wah, Aileen Lu, Alfred Chiu, Andy Ng's mother Sau-Fong Cheung, Anna Lo's father Koon-Yun Lo, Grace Krist's mother Helen Lum

Condolences: Grace Krist's father Ken Yat Lum

Other: People of Ukraine, Hong Kong

Please join in the response indicated by the Intercessor

Intercessor: In joy and hope let us pray to the source of all life, saying, "Hear us, Lord of glory!"

Intercessor: That our risen Saviour may fill us with the joy of his holy and life-giving resurrection, let us pray to the Lord.

- People: Hear us, Lord of glory!
- Intercessor: That isolated and persecuted churches may find fresh strength in the Easter gospel, let us pray to the Lord.
- People: Hear us, Lord of glory!
- Intercessor: That he may grant us humility to be subject to one another in Christian love, let us pray to the Lord.
- People: Hear us, Lord of glory!
- Intercessor: That he may provide for those who lack food, work, or shelter, let us pray to the Lord.
- People: Hear us, Lord of glory!
- Intercessor: That by his power wars and famine may cease through all the earth, let us pray to the Lord.
- People: Hear us, Lord of glory!
- Intercessor: That he may reveal the light of his presence to the sick, the weak, and the dying, that they may be comforted and strengthened, let us pray to the Lord.
- People: Hear us, Lord of glory!
- Intercessor: That he may send the fire of the Holy Spirit upon his people, that we may bear faithful witness to his resurrection, let us pray to the Lord.
- People: Hear us, Lord of glory!

Collect of the Day (P. 339) - Carol Tam

Intercessor: Let us pray.

All: O God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, that great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, make us perfect in every good work to do your will, and work in us that which is well-pleasing in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer (P.54) – Fenella Chiu

- Celebrant: Gathering our prayers and praises into one, let us pray as our Saviour taught us,
- All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we

forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

Blessing (P.55) – Fenella Chiu

- Celebrant: May the God of peace enable us to do his will in every kind of goodness, working in us what pleases him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be the glory for ever and ever.
- People: Amen.

Announcements

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Dismissal – Fenella Chiu

- Leader: We are raised to new life with Christ. Go in his peace. Alleluia, alleluia.
- People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

Recessional Hymn – This I Believe (The Creed)

Our Father everlasting The all creating One God Almighty. Through Your Holy Spirit, Conceiving Christ the son Jesus our Saviour

(Refrain) I believe in God our Father I believe in Christ the son I believe in the Holy Spirit Our God is three in one I believe in the resurrection That we will rise again For I believe in the Name of Jesus

Our Judge and our Defender Suffered and crucified, Forgiveness is in You Descended into darkness You rose in glorious life, forever seated high (Refrain) I believe in You I believe You rose again I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord (x 2)

I believe in life eternal I believe in the virgin birth I believe in the saints' communion And in Your holy Church I believe in the resurrection When Jesus comes again For I believe in the Name of Jesus

(Refrain) For I believe in the Name of Jesus

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Next Sunday May 15th at 10am

5th Sunday of Easter

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